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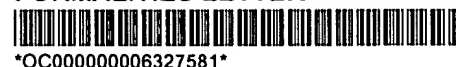
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Title: METHOD FOR OPERATING A GAS GENERATION DEVICE IN A
FUEL CELL SYSTEM

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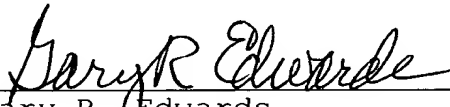
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2. The executed Declaration and attached application copy.
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4. A check in the amount of \$840.00 in payment of the basic filing fee of \$710.00, including the surcharge for late submission of the Declaration for \$130.00.

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